

1 10A NCAC 13D .3038 is proposed for adoption as follows:
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3 **10A NCAC 13D .3038 ADMISSION TO THE SPECIAL CARE UNIT**

4 In addition to meeting all requirements, according to the declared rule selection specified on the annual renewal
5 application pursuant to Rule .2104(a)(3) of this Subchapter for the admission of residents to the home, the facility
6 shall assure that the following requirements are met for admission to the special care unit:

- 7 (1) A physician specifies a diagnosis on the resident's FL-2 that meets the conditions of the specific
8 group of residents to be served. An FL-2 form is an assessment of a person's functional capacity
9 and care needs that is submitted to a nursing home prior to admission.
10 (2) There is a documented pre-admission screening by the facility to evaluate the appropriateness of
11 an individual's placement in the special care unit.
12 (3) Family members seeking admission of a resident to a special care unit are provided disclosure
13 information required in G.S. 131E-114 and any additional written information addressing policies
14 and procedures listed in Rule .3037 of this Subchapter that is not included in G.S. 131E-114. This
15 disclosure shall be documented in the resident's record.
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17 History Note: Authority G.S. 131E-104; 131E-114.

18 Eff. October 1, 2008.